

## Message Text

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FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY AMMAN IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: OVIP (VANCE, CYRUS), JO

SUBJECT: SECRETARY'S MESSAGE OF APPRECIATION

1. PLEASE DELIVER AS SOON AS POSSIBLE THE FOLLOWING TEXT  
OF SECRETARY'S MESSAGE OF APPRECIATION TO SHARIF ABDUL  
HAMID.

BEGIN TEXT: DEAR SHARIF ABDUL HAMID:

I VERY MUCH APPRECIATED SEEING YOU AGAIN DURING MY RECENT  
VISIT TO AMMAN AND PARTICIPATING WITH YOU IN OUR REVIEW OF  
WAYS TO HELP FIND PEACE IN THE MIDDLE EAST. OUR DISCUSSIONS  
GAVE ME A CLEARER VIEW OF BOTH THE PROBLEMS AND THE  
OPPORTUNITIES, AND PROVIDED A VALUABLE STIMULUS TO MY OWN  
THINKING; I LOOK FORWARD TO HAVING THE OPPORTUNITY IN THE  
NEAR FUTURE TO RENEW OUR ACQUAINTANCE AND CONTINUE OUR  
JOINT EFFORTS TO MOVE FORWARD CONSTRUCTIVELY ON THESE  
URGENT ISSUES.

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SINCERELY, CYRUS VANCE. END TEXT.

2. SIGNED ORIGINAL COMING BY POUCH.  
VANCE

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## Message Attributes

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